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LB 541

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the Legislature. This is the bill dealing with podiatrists and dealing with their scope of practice. On General File I told you that we would offer this amendment. It is an amendment that has been worked out with the physicians. They are in support of the amendment and as are the podiatrists. It would limit what is allowed the podiatrists in terms of amputations to the forefoot and the feeling of the physicians is that this would clarify their scope of practice and would be agreeable to them and the podiatrists feel this restriction is fair and so that is the amendment and that is the support for it.

PRESIDENT: Is there further discussion? If not, the question is the adoption of the Wesely amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Voting on the Wesely amendment to LB 541 on Select File. If you wish to vote, please record your vote on the Wesely amendment. Have you all voted? The Clerk will record the vote.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays on adoption of the Wesely amendment.

PRESIDENT: Motion carried. The amendment is adopted.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Rod Johnson, do you want to advance the bill?

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Mr. President, I move that we advance LB 541.

PRESIDENT: You have heard the motion. All those in favor say aye, opposed no. The motion carried. The bill is advanced. LB 375.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have no E & R amendments to LB 375. Senator Newell would move to amend the bill.

PRESIDENT: Senator Newell or do you have the amendment? Senator Newell.

SENATOR NEWELL: Is Senator Chronister here?

PRESIDENT: He doesn't appear to be at this time.

SENATOR NEWELL: I haven't had a chance to talk to him about it. Maybe it would be better if I didn't amend the bill while he is gone.